City of Las Vegas

Agenda Item No.: 42.

## AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: DECEMBER 2, 2009

DEPARTMENT: FINANCE AND BUSINESS SERVICES DIRECTOR: MARK R. VINCENT	☐ Consent	<b>⊠</b> Discussion
SUBJECT: ABEYANCE ITEM - Discussion and possible action regarding an Appeal of Work Card Denial for Ivana Vela, db at Vinny Boy's Italian Market Place, 3620 West Sahara Avenue, Suite W02 - Ward 1 (Tarkanian)		
Fiscal Impact  No Impact  Budget Funds Available  Amount: Funding Source: Dept./Division:	ed	
PURPOSE/BACKGROUND: Discussion and possible action regarding an Appeal of Work Card Denial.		
RECOMMENDATION: Recommendation to be provided following the discussion of this item Meeting.	n at the City C	Council
BACKUP DOCUMENTATION: None		
Motion made by LOIS TARKANIAN to Approve the appeal, thereby adding the following conditions:	y granting the	work card and
A. A site-specific, six-month work card shall be issued.		
B. The appellant shall present at the conclusion of the six-month period a formal letter of recommendation from her probation officer indicating the status of her employment.		
Passed For: 5; Against: 1; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 1; Excused: 0 RICKI Y. BARLOW, OSCAR B. GOODMAN, GARY REESE, STI STAVROS S. ANTHONY; (Against-LOIS TARKANIAN); (Abstain STEVE WOLFSON); (Excused-None)		,

NOTE: Subsequent to the vote, Councilwoman Tarkanian requested her vote be reflected in the affirmative.

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## Minutes:

JIM DiFIORE, Manager of Business Services, referred to the confidential report provided to the Councilmembers for a listing of the concerns related to the appellant, who was present. Although MS. VELA could not obtain a letter of support from her probation officer, she asked that the Council continue and consider her appeal, to which MR. DiFIORE added that MS. VELA'S probation officer indicated to him that they were having difficulties connecting.

MR. DiFIORE commented that although MS. VELA had two prior convictions, her probation officer is in support of her employment as MS. VELA is considered a low-risk client who has passed her drug tests. MS. VELA affirmed for the Mayor that she informed her employer of her history. MR. DiFIORE recommended the work card be granted with several conditions he suggested.

